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## THE LOCAL DRAFT BOARD IS UPHELD

EXAMINERS AT K. C. FIND SAME DEFECTS IN MEN CALLED.

### FOUR OF THE ELEVEN MAY BE CERTIFIED

Decision Will Rest With Report and Recommendation of Specialists—Dowden Told He's Fit.

Of the eleven men exempted by the local board for physical disabilities, and who were summoned to Kansas City to appear before the Western District Board for re-examination, Forrest Dowden, son of Sheriff John H. Dowden and Harry Wells will in all probability be accepted for service; Edward E. Williams and Edward Wright Gray are being detained, it is understood, for the purpose of further examination by specialists, while Harold Bellows, Ferdinand Townsend, Dr. Karl Malotte, Anslem Schumacher, Fred Wolfers, Theodore Palmer and Jas. A. Heflin were rejected. The eleven men appeared at the offices of the Western District Board yesterday shortly after noon and were examined with little delay. The only ones who returned last night were Fred Wolfers and Forrest Dowden. The others are expected to return home this evening.

This morning's Kansas City Times says:

"Eleven men from Nodaway county, who were exempted by local boards on account of physical deficiencies were re-examined here yesterday by Dr. F. H. Matthews of Liberty and his assistants. Information as to the results is being withheld until a report is made by the physicians to the Western district appeal board here. 'Conditions in general, among the Nodaway county re-examinations were different than those of the Buchanan county re-examinations last week,' was the only comment Doctor Matthews would make last night. It is probable a few more men will appear for a second examination here, although no definite arrangements have been made, according to Doctor Matthews.

The seven men rejected by the Kansas City board were rejected for the same reasons as given by the local board. Of the four whose acceptance is likely — no formal notice having been received that any of them will be accepted — the same defects as had been found by the local board were found on re-examination at Kansas City.

Forrest Dowden was not weighed by the Kansas City examiners but was looked over and told he was physically fit and would do for service. Examination this morning of Ed Williams by Dr. Jackson, a foot specialist, revealed flat feet, the same physical disability as had been found by the local board, and a recommendation was made that he be exempted.

In the cases of Edward Wright Gray and Harry Wells the examiners and specialists found the same causes for exemption as had been found by the local board, and while no recommendations have yet been made, it is understood that they believe the deficiencies will not prevent them from making good soldiers.

The result of the examinations by the Kansas City examiners sustained the findings and examinations of the local board in every particular and not the slightest breath of suspicion of fraud or even of favoritism was heard from any of the members of the board or examiners.

While Mr. Dowden has made no statement himself, it is learned from members of his family that he will ask exemption on grounds of dependency, having a wife and several small children.

Word was being awaited this afternoon by friends and relatives of E. E. Williams and Edward Wright Gray, but at the time of going to press, no further information had been received.


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## NEED RED CROSS WORKER

Local Chapter Asked to Certify Candidates for Six Weeks Course At St. Louis.

The Maryville chapter of the Red Cross has been honored by having been asked to furnish a volunteer for active work to assist with the visiting, counseling and aid of the families of soldiers and sailors who have gone to war.

In a letter from Alfred Fairbank, of St. Louis, division director of civilian relief, to Dr. F. R. Anthony, head of the local chapter he has been asked to certify a candidate from this county to take a six weeks course in the Home Service Institute at St. Louis, beginning October 15. The first session of these institutes will be limited to twenty-five members, will last six weeks and require the full time of students. Missouri, Kansas and Oklahoma will be represented at the first institute which will be directed by Dr. Geo. B. Mangold, of the Missouri School of Social Economy. Mr. Fairbanks writes that a candidate is sought here because the local chapter is considered one of the strongest in the division.

Applicants for admission must be over twenty-one and under fifty and must have, if possible, a high school education or its equivalent. The applicant must be of mature judgment and liberally supplied with the utmost common sense coupled with the willingness to learn by instruction and experience. The Maryville chapter will pay all or a part of her expense in training on condition that all or a portion of her time be devoted to handling the local chapters families who need this kind of assistance.

Dr. Anthony has application blanks for any woman who will qualify and hopes to have the local chapter represented at the institute in St. Louis.

## AGED RESIDENT DIES

Joseph Shonley Came From Germany Forty-five Years Ago — the Funeral Wednesday.

Joseph Shonley, 84 years old, died at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon at his home on North Buchanan street, of a complication of diseases. Funeral services will be held at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning at St. Mary's Catholic church, conducted by the Rev. Father Odillo Scheiber. Burial will be in St. Mary's cemetery.

Mr. Shonley was born in Grand Duchess Baden, Germany and came to Maryville forty-five years ago. He has since made this his home. He is survived by ten children: Mrs. Carl Jansen of Seattle, Wash., Mrs. May Hart of San Francisco, Sister Edward of Aberdeen, S. D., Katherine and Theresa at home, George Shonley of Townsend, Mont., Will Shonley of Red Oak, Ia., Andrew Shonley of Los Angeles, Calif., and John and Al Shonley of Maryville.

## FEDERALS 11, OMAHA 2

Three Home Runs Were in the Assortment Locals Handed the Nebraskans Yesterday.

A three-bagger in the sixth inning in yesterday's game between Harry Scott's Federals and the crack Omaha Brandeis Store's team, saved the Nebraskans from a shut-out, the final score being 11 to 2 with Omaha on the short end.

One of the largest crowds of the season was at the fair grounds park to witness a somewhat indifferent game by the Brandeis Store's team while the locals put up a classy game of ball, pounding two Omaha twirlers for a bunch of hits that netted eleven runs, three of them being of the home-run variety. The Feds started the slugging in the first inning and did not let up throughout the game. The storm broke in the sixth session when five Feds crossed the plate. Olsen in the same bracket hit a three bagger to left and scored on an error by Black at home, otherwise the score would have been a blank for Omaha.

"Lefty" Clark played his usual steady game and had all kinds of curves at command. A little wild at times he was always able to pull out of a hole in good shape. Walker, Scott and Claire clouts the horsehide away beyond the reach of the Brandeis fielders for three home runs and one and two baggers were frequent.

### Torpedo Boat Into Port.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Sept. 24.—The American torpedo boat that sent a distress signal some where off the United States coast last night was found and towed into port the navy announced. The accident was due to a leaky water tank.

## REV. COX RETURNED

POPULAR FIRST CHURCH PASTOR BACK TO MARYVILLE.

### RENAME SUPT. BURRIS

A Number of New Appointments Given by Conference at Braymer for Maryville District.

Rev. Gilbert S. Cox has been returned to the pastorate of the First Methodist church, his re-appointment coming at the annual conference held at Braymer, Mo. The re-appointment of Rev. Cox following five years of splendid service is most gratifying, not only to the members of his own denomination, but to the people of Maryville and the county where his influence for good and progress has been felt. As man and minister Reverend Cox measures up to the highest standard and is one of the most popular and influential pastors the church has ever had. He will return from the conference at Braymer today.

REV. GILBERT S. COX.
Pastor First M. E. Church Reappointed for Sixth Consecutive Time.

The annual conference came to a sudden close yesterday afternoon when Bishop William A. Quayle, the presiding officer was called to his home in Kansas City by a telegram announcing the illness of his wife.

A number of changes are noted in the pastorates included in the Maryville district which is again under the supervision of William F. Burris who was re-appointed for the third time. At Barnard J. A. Moorman is replaced by A. S. Olson; at Bolckow E. O. Wells succeeds W. F. Wiley; at Clearmont W. H. Mullin takes the place of W. H. Holland; at Conception Junction Claude Jenkins takes the place of M. L. Womack; at Fillmore A. H. McKullup takes the place of J. B. Bennett; at Grant City N. J. Moats replaces T. D. Fry; at Parnell W. C. Francisco replaces J. E. Kemper; at Sheridan S. E. Shafer will take the place of H. J. Moody; E. C. Morgan goes to Stanberry in place of A. C. Brown; at Tarkio A. T. DeLong replaces A. W. Hamilton while R. E. Parshaff will serve the Tarkio circuit in place of L. M. Johnson.

Other pastorates in the district remain unchanged and are as follows: Burlington Junction, Ernest Snider; Burr Oak, Earl A. Sauceman; Conception, Claude Jenkins; Elmo and Quitman, C. H. Ragsdale; Graham, E. W. Croy; Hopkins, Hastings Ms-Namee; Maitland, E. P. Sturges; Maryville, G. S. Cox; Mound City, Lane Douglass; Pickering, C. F. Dayhoff; Rock Port, R. S. Morgan; Skidmore, D. F. Harrison; Tarkio circuit, R. E. Parshaff; Watson, to be supplied; Westboro, J. J. Cokley; Worth, J. R. Rusk.

Yesterday was one of the biggest days ever seen in a Missouri Methodist conference. More than 2,000 persons heard the bishop's sermon in the morning, and twelve preachers were ordained in the afternoon.

### Wilson Approves Steel Prices.

Washington, Sept. 24.—President Wilson has approved the agreement between the war board and the steel men fixing prices and will become effective immediately, subject to revision January 1. Iron ore basis at lake points is $5 and fire coke $6. A net reduction on ten prices named are to the public and the Allies as government steel men pledge themselves to keep up the production.

## 'ON BREAD AND BEEF'

NO PRAYER TO CONSECRATE MEN WHO GO TO WAR.

### 'THE CHURCH IS ASLEEP'

Rev. C. Emerson Miller Declares It Is Not Measuring Up To the Present World Crisis.

That the churches and Christian people of Nodaway county are not alive to the national crisis is the opinion of the Rev. C. Emerson Miller, pastor of the First Christian church, as expressed in his sermon on "Christian Vigilance," yesterday morning.

"The church is carried away by a sense of pleasure and the comforts of modern life and is unconcerned in the great world crisis," said Rev. Miller, "and is losing her opportunity. This is evidenced by what occurred here last Wednesday. Do not blame the business men of the community; they wanted to do something but did not known how. The men of Nodaway county were going out a vicarious sacrifice to consecrate themselves to a great work. How were they going to this great task of turning the world to democracy? Not by prayer and fasting; not by invoking the aid and protecting care of Almighty God; not with tears and prayer, but by filling them with bread and beef.

"I don't blame the business men, I blame the church, the Christian people of Nodaway county, myself. They were not even afforded the opportunity to hear the voice of a Christian believer to bid them God-speed. Having gone out to trial, to be wrangled and bleeding, dying under a foreign sky, they will see the stars in the dome of heaven and begin to think of the beyond; they will say my countrymen, my neighbors, my kindred of Nodaway county sent me here a vicarious sacrifice to give my life, my all in their behalf, and they consecrated me to the task, not with prayers; no, 'no man cared for my soul.' No, they consecrated me with bread and beef.

"One of the men who left that day said of the demonstration: It looks as though the people came here to have a hell of a time, but not because they care for us.' They asked for bread and we gave them a stone."

"There will not be a repetition of last week's demonstration, when soldiers depart from Maryville in the future, if I can do anything to prevent it. The men don't want bread and meat; they want and need spiritual encouragement.

"Now is the time to watch and pray; now is the time to attend the sanctuary; now is the time to strengthen the church so that she may warn and help and encourage men who are seeking religion. Men are seeking religion, loyalty and courage without the church because they feel the church is not measuring up to the crisis."

## BOOZE SELLING, CHARGE

Chas. Womack Arrested On Warrant Charging Violation of the Liquor Law.

Charles Womack, who lives near Bedford, Ia., was arrested Saturday by police officer Eph Tilton, on a warrant charging violation of the liquor law, the specific instance charged having occurred on September 8. Womack was arraigned in Mayor Robey's court and pleaded not guilty to the charge. Not being able to give bond in the sum of $500, he was committed to jail and trial set for September 27, at 2 o'clock.

This is the first case of violation of the liquor law to be tried since Maryville went dry. In a previous case that was set for trial the prosecuting witness left the country and it was dropped. The maximum penalty for conviction of the offense is a fine of $1,000 and one year in jail, the minimum penalty a fine of $300.

### Germany Pacifies Argentina.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Buenos Aires, Sept. 24.—Virtually under martial law with heavily armed soldiers and police maintaining order, all railroads are tied up and about one hundred men are out. It is rumored today that the leaders are being supplied with funds by German agents. A rupture with Germany is regarded less imminent today as a result of a note from Berlin repudiating unneutral actions.

NOW YOU DANCE!

—Robert Carter in Philadelphia Press.

## ESTIMATE TOO LOW

SO JUDGE DAWSON DOUBLED THE FINE OF GEORGE ROWE.

### DAY IN CIRCUIT COURT

Routine Matters and Parole Cases Occupied Most of the Time of Lawyers and Litigants.

The September term of circuit court opened this morning with litigants and attorneys presenting, for the most part, proofs of publication, answers and other formal proceedings. Cases on parole were disposed of as follows:

Everett E. Bagley, Chester Cain, Arthur Smith and Ira Williams were dismissed from custody of the court.

William E. Linville, George Jackson, Asberry Weatherman, Artie Cotter, Dade Henderson, Clarence E. Piveral and Harry West were continued in the care of the probation officer.

George Rowe, charged by the state with common assault was on the stand to tell the court what provocation he had for assaulting a little boy whom he threshed soundly. At the conclusion of his testimony he said he believed he had gotten $25 worth of satisfaction out of the assault.

"No doubt," snapped Judge Dawson. "I'll just raise that twenty-five; your fine is fifty dollars."

Tom Cogdill, Elmer Cogdill and Dan Pierce were fined $5 each for participating in an affray, each pleading guilty.

The case of George Butler, charged by the state with petit larceny was nolle prossed.

Alex Frazier, charged with peddling without a license pleaded guilty and was fined $10.

William Crigger, charged by the state with common assault, pleaded guilty and was fined $5.

Actions against Wm. Murphy and Michael Liston for back taxes were recorded "dismissed in vacation."

Suit for account against A. O. Mason by the St. Joseph Hay & Grain Co., was continued for want of service.

J. R. Heryford vs. Anna Sowder and others, appealed from justice court was settled and dismissed.

Mrs. Orvilla G. Teel, who has brought suit against her husband, Claude M. Teel, for divorce, made application for temporary alimony and relief pending the trial of the case and was awarded $75 with attorney fees and $30 per month.

### Injuries Caused Death.

David Barber, the 5-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Barber of Burlington Junction, died at 2 o'clock this morning at his home following a week's illness of infantile paralysis, the result of injuries received by the child when playing. No funeral arrangements have been made.

## MEN LOST ON WAY

MANY QUOTAS REACHING FUNSTON ARE ONE OR MORE SHORT.

### SEARCH FOR THE MISSING

One North Dakota County Sent 16 and Only One Arrived—Some Boards Sent A Surplus.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Camp Funston, Kan., Sept. 24.—Approximately 20,000 drafted men are in camp here today. Before evening it is expected all the men of the 45 per cent of the quotas of Missouri and several other states will have arrived. By noon today most of the men had arrived and a few stragglers are expected by nightfall.

Many of the quotas of drafted men arrived here one or two men short. Whether they left the trains enroute or did not leave home stations with the remainder is unknown. In every instance the local exemption board will be notified and a search for the missing men will begin.

When found they will be subject to court martial for desertion from the army. One county in South Dakota sent 16 men and only one arrived here.

In direct contrast to this some of the boards sent a surplus of men. With the arrival here of practically all of the 45 per cent quota, work of outfitting and assigning the men was pushed today and intensive drill work all over the camp will begin tomorrow.

### Senate Reports On Bill.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Sept. 24.—The urgent deficiency bill, carrying nearly eight billion dollars appropriation and the authorization of an additional sum of approximately eight hundred and fifty millions to the amount approved by the House, was ordered favorably reported by the senate committee this morning.

### Court Martial Negro Soldiers.

El Paso, Sept. 24.—The trial of one hundred and fifty-six negro soldiers confined in Fort Bliss stockade, charged with being implicated in riots at Houston in which eighteen persons were killed will be killed before court martial next Monday, it is announced. Those found guilty of mutiny may be subject to the death penalty.

## FIGHTING GOES ON

BRITISH OFFENSIVE EMPHASIZED BY GERMAN LOSSES.

### FRENCH BIG GUNS ACTIVE

War Office Reports German Raiders Near Labasseville Were Driven Back With Severe Loss.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, Sept. 24.—In a sudden burst of activity on the eastern front which resulted in the capture of Jaconsteadt from the Russians, it was held by British military critics to be political rather than a military move. The Germans pointed out that they wanted to offset the depressing effect of the British victory in west Flanders Stiff local fighting and violent artillery and infantry actions followed northeast and southeast of Ypres and air activity is again on the increase. Details of the accounts of the fighting in the new British offensive emphasized two points: first, the severity of the German losses, and second, the effects of the British artillery fire. The French big guns are again active along the Champagne and Verdun fronts.

Heavy artillery duels continued throughout the night an Arras front, and northeast of Ypres. The British war office reported that near Labasseville German raiders had penetrated the British trenches and had captured some prisoners, but were soon driven back with severe losses.

## DEATH OF DR. BICKETT

Aged Physician Died at Hospital in Leavenworth — Body Brought Here For Burial.

Dr. J. A. Bickett died at 10 o'clock Friday night at a hospital in Leavenworth, Kan., after a short illness of a complication of diseases. The body arrived in Maryville last night, and was taken to the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Helpley, where it will lie in state between the hours of 8 until 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Funeral services will be held at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning, at St. Mary's Catholic church, conducted by the Rev. Father Odillo. Burial will be in St. Mary's cemetery.

Dr. Bickett was 79 years old and is survived by George Bickett of Conception Junction, R. P. Bickett of Lansford, N. D., Frank Bickett of Riverside, Mont., Mrs. Irvin Kinsella, of Clayton, Ill., and Mrs. William Helpley of Maryville.

Mrs. Kinsella and son, James and Miss Orlena Helpley of Clinton, Okla., arrived today at noon and will be present at the funeral services.

## WORLD'S SERIES RESULTS

Will Be Received By Sweitzer Smoke Shop — First Game Saturday, October 6, at Chicago.

The world's series baseball games will be received in Maryville by the Sweitzer Smoke Shop. The series will start Saturday, October 6, at Chicago. The contenders are the Chicago White Sox of the American League and the New York Giants of the National League. The schedule is as follows: Saturday and Sunday, October 6 and 7, at Chicago; Tuesday and Wednesday, October 9 and 10, at New York; Friday and Saturday, October 12 and 13, at Chicago; and if the seventh game is necessary, it will be played in New York on Monday, October 15. The team winning four games will be the champions.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Casteel of Ravenwood were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Seafers of Maryville.

### THE WEATHER

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**Return From 1,200 Mile Trip.**

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Sturm and Mrs. Matt Sturm returned Friday night from a 1,200-mile trip through Kansas, Colorado and Nebraska, visiting at several places enroute. Mr. Sturm says the crops in the sections visited are about on a par with the crops here and all of them are from two weeks to a month late. They were accompanied home by Miss Merle Haegen.

**Hunters Must Have License.**

Alex Gibbs, the newly appointed game warden for Nodaway, Atchison, Gentry, Holt, and Worth counties issues warning to hunters to procure a hunter's license at once. Warden Gibbs says he does not want to make trouble for anyone, but that he is going to see that the game laws are observed.

**Motor From Tarkio.**

Mr. and Mrs. Ardery Curfman and baby daughter, Phyllis Jane; Mrs. Amon Curfman, Mrs. James Trout and Miss Ruth Trout motored from Tarkio Sunday to visit relatives. Mrs. Trout remained for a visit with her aunt, Mrs. Anna Todd, and other relatives.

**Langans Move Into New Home.**

William Langan and family have moved from West Second street, where they have been living temporarily, into their new home at 514 West Second street. The Langan home as reconstructed is one of the prettiest residences in that part of the city.

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## War Adventures "Over There"

*By RICHARD BOECKEL*

Washington, Sept. 24.—"The 'horrors of war,'" are seldom spoken of by the British soldier. There are plenty of horrors. They are to be seen on every hand 'over there.' But the man who does the fighting prefers to look on the bright side of things always."

Lieutenant X., an American officer in this country on sick leave made this statement as the preface to a story:

"Fearful things happen in the mud," he said. "When you are fighting in cold mud up to your waist, with men falling on every hand, you realize that if you are hit you are more likely to die from drowning than from your wound.

"Walking through such a trench very often you step on something soft. It gives you a shock when you are fresh at the game. For you realize instantly it is one of your companions who has been wounded and has fallen in the mud. But after a time you learn not to mind it. You reach down and drag him up above the slime. If there is still a bit of color in his face you drag him out and put him up in back of the trench, where a stretcher-bearer will find him. If his face has gone dead white you release your grip, there is a splash and you go on."

In speaking of the power for slaughter of the casing of a shrapnel shell, Lieutenant X. said he had seen such a shell fragment take off the leg of a horse, cut a man in half twenty feet to the rear, take off another man's leg fifteen feet distant and bury itself some six feet in the ground.

"There are plenty of atrocities on the battlefield," he said, "but we have learned not to speak of them. The atrocities are not all on the side of the Germans, either. There always will be atrocities as long as there is war. A story is told of one Canadian regiment that charged a German trench late one afternoon. It was driven back. The next day it repeated the charge. In the second charge it found that the men who had been wounded in the previous day's fighting and had been left on 'no man's land' had had their hands cut off by Germans who crept out during the night.

This discovery made the Canadians fight like demons. By sheer force of their rage they carried the trench and surrounded some fifty Germans. The Germans had their hands above their heads, a token of surrender, but the Canadians went at them with their bayonets.

Those who witnessed the slaughter say it was frightful. Not a single German was left alive. Most of them were split up the middle by the bayonets of the enraged Canadians. It was soon after that we learned of the order of the German General Staff, "Take no Canadian prisoners."

**Fire At Camp Clark.**

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Nevada, Mo., Sept. 24.—Camp Clark had its first fire this morning when the administration building burned to the ground. The Fourth regiment left on an early morning train for Fort Sill.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Sturm and Mrs. Matt Sturm who have been visiting relatives in Trenton, Neb., returned to their home Friday night, accompanied by Miss Merle Haegin.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Logan and daughters, were guests yesterday of Mr. and Mrs. Collins of Maryville.

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## "THE LITTLE AMERICAN"

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In undoubtedly the most gripping and thrilling photodrama in which she has ever appeared, the nation's sweetheart, Mary Pickford, will be seen at the Empire theatre tonight in her newest picture, "The Little American."

The story deals with the present great war and offers various surprises that when seen on the screen, will disclose remarkable effects. As the little American girl marooned in a French chateau while the battle surges around her, "Little Mary" is given an opportunity to display the wonderful dramatic ability with which she is gifted. Although the story deals with the war, it is not of the same type as the ordinary war drama, as it deals more with the intimate than with the general. In the supporting cast appears Hobart Bosworth, Jack Holt, James Neill, Raymond Hatton, Guy Oliver, Edith Chapman, Littillian Leighton, Walter Long, Dewitt Jennings and little Ben Alexander.

A part of the proceeds from the sale of tickets will be given to the Maryville units of the National Surgical Dressings society for the purpose of purchasing material for bandages and furnishing Christmas boxes to the boys of the army and navy.

## SILVER BASIS IS LIKELY AFTER THE WAR IS OVER

**Present Price of Pale Metal Makes It Almost as Valuable as Gold.**

Chicago.—Silver at current quotations almost puts Mexico, India, Peru and China, which have steadfastly adhered to the pale metal, on a gold basis. Add a few cents more to the 51 cents advance since September, 1915, and silver will be on a parity with gold throughout the world.

It will be what the Greeks named it countless centuries ago, the "noble metal," when a coin was exchanged for an ox.

With the prolongation of the war and the increasing emission of paper currency by the European belligerents, silver has correspondingly risen in value. The rise is significant in several respects. What it suggests chiefly is the general remonetization of silver after peace will have been concluded.

This of course will ease and level the purchasing power of nations.

To America the prospect is not alarming. With silver the United States is supplied—mined and unmined. In consequence the far west should flourish as of yore. Palatial hotels should multiply again in Colorado. Silver cupolas should again glisten in the Nevada sunlight. Copper coins should disappear from California. Denver should witness the reverse of what she saw when the silver purchase act was annulled, should people from everywhere flock to her. The shade of Senator Teller should smile.

And Mexico must flourish in spite of herself—despite uncertainty of government. For Mexico once in a working mood can do for European mints what she did during decades for China and India. Peru, too, may re-experience a prosperity that will permit her once more to pave a highway with silver.

In the circumstances the position of this country is unique. We have quite a third of the world's available gold in our vaults and stand next to Mexico as a potential silver producer. Either way, then, we are safe.

## TO SEND FOOD TO AMERICAN PRISONERS

### Germany's Inadequate Rations Make Work Imperative.

Washington.—The American Red Cross has perfected plans to care for Americans who may be captured and held in German prison camps. A prisoners' relief committee has been organized at Berne, Switzerland, under the supervision of Ellis L. Dresel of the American legation. Mr. Dresel served from the outbreak of the war, in 1914, up to our breaking off diplomatic relations as an attache of the American embassy at Berlin, where his duties included relief work for men of the entente nationalities in German prison camps.

Today about a hundred American prisoners are held in Germany. Most of these are civilians taken off American merchantmen that have been sunk by Teuton submarines. More recent arrivals in the prison camps had served as gun crews, since the arming of our merchant ships.

Speedy provisions for their relief and for those who may be taken prisoner is necessitated by the German policy of giving their prisoners of war food totally inadequate to keep men in good health. The extremely high death rate among Russian, Servian and Roumanian prisoners in Germany and Austria (30 per cent in the case of the Roumanians) has been largely due to the inability of Russia and the Balkan states to organize the rationing of prisoners of their nationalities from their home countries.

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## MARKET REPORTS

**MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.**

**Kansas City Live Stock.**

Kansas City, Sept. 24.—CATTLE—Receipts, 39,000; steers $11.00@$16.75 cows, $6.00@$14.80.

HOGS—Receipts, 4,000; top, $19.00; bulk, $18.10@$18.90.

SHEEP—Receipts, 14,000; market, 15c lower.

**Chicago Live Stock.**

Chicago, Sept. 24.—CATTLE—Receipts, 39,000; market lower.

HOGS—Receipts, 17,000; market, 10c higher; top, $19.00.

SHEEP—Receipts, 24,000; market, 5c lower.

**St. Joseph Live Stock.**

St. Joseph, Sept. 24.—CATTLE—Receipts, 7,500; market, 25c lower.

HOGS—Receipts, 3,000; market, 15c higher.

SHEEP—Receipts, 6,000; market, 5c lower.

**Furnished daily by Speirs Produce company.**

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| Butter fat, per lb | 45c |
| Eggs, per doz | 33c |
| Hens, per lb | 18c |
| Spring Chickens, per lb | 18c |
| Hides, per lb | 14c |
| Ducks, per lb | 10c |
| Geese, per lb | 8c |
| Old Roosters, per lb | 8c |

## JESSE LONG, 87, DEAD

**Well Known Barnard Farmer Dies At St. Joseph Hospital — Resident Since 1874.**

Jesse Long, a farmer of Barnard, Mo., died at 1:40 o'clock Saturday morning at a hospital in St. Joseph after a long illness. The body was taken to Barnard, and funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at the Bethany church, conducted by the Rev. James Creel. Burial was in the Bethany cemetery.

Mr. Long was 87 years old. He was born in Boone county, Mo., and came to Nodaway county in 1874, settling on a farm near Fillmore. After a few more years he moved to a farm near Barnard, where he since made his home.

He is survived by one son, Edward Long of Barnard.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Gooden of Parnell were guests yesterday of Mr. and Mrs. Cooper Gooden of Maryville.

**Great Pyramids.**

The largest pyramid in the world is that of Cholula, in Mexico, which covers fifty acres of ground. The largest in Egypt is that of Cheops, near Cairo, which covers thirteen acres. It contains 90,000,000 cubic feet of stone and could not be built nowadays for less than $150,000,000.

**Time In Lisbon.**

Correct time is announced every even hour in the port of Lisbon by means of two lanterns placed on iron columns 100 feet high. The lanterns each have three faces measuring 6.5 by 8 feet.

**When Wolves Were Plenty.**

Warren Scott, aged fourteen years, was torn to pieces by wolves in Newburg, N. Y., in March, 1806.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads

**"Morning's Morning" By Freight.**

Columbia, Mo., Sept. 24.—Dry workers here gained another victory when the Wells-Fargo Express Co. announced it would close all liquor shipments. The only way Columbians can get their "morning's morning" hereafter is by freight over the M. K. & T. railroad.

**Sedalia To Vote On Booze.**

Sedalia, Mo., Sept. 24.—This city will hold a local option election Oct. 23. Saloon men promised they would close their doors July 1, 1918, if the "drys" would call off the election and save taxpayers expenses but the "drys" refused.

Today the South has invested in 777 cotton mills, with their 9,200,000 spindles, $225,000,000 as against $21,000,000 25 years ago.

The latest thing in window screens rools up like the shade where there is not immediate demand for its service.

**Big Liquor House Quits.**

Springfield, Mo., Sept. 24.—The nation-wide prohibition wave has hit the Springfield Liquor company, one of the largest wholesale liquor houses in the Southwest, and it will go out of business January 1. The company will go into the soft drink business.

At the present time China has but 6,000 miles of railroads to serve a population of more than 400,000,000.

Some of the deaf mutes of a New York institution enjoy a musical performance by leaning on the piano.

The Chinese want more railroads, which may mean business for American capital and builders.


**CHICHESTER S PILLS**

THE DIAMOND BRAND.
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chi-ches-ter's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHI-CHES-TER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable

SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE



## CONWAY FARM WILL BE DIVIDED

Eighteen acres in each tract. All tracts to have frontage on both the west and east sides. Ten minutes walk from Normal school, overlooking Maryville to the east. Will be sold in tracts as above or the entire sixty-nine acres together.

SEE J. R. CONWAY,
Bainum Hotel Maryville, Missouri



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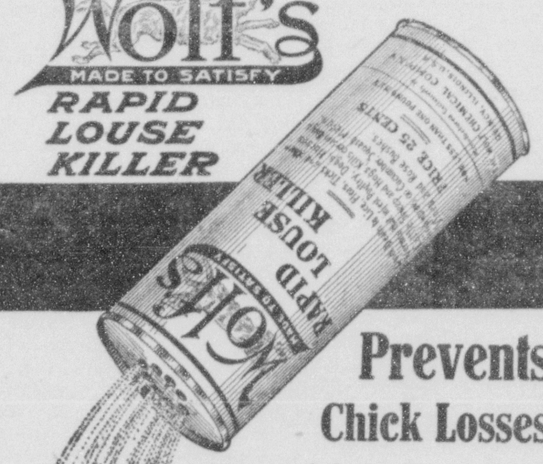
MADE TO SATISFY
RAPID LOUSE KILLER




**Prevents Chick Losses**

Millions of chicks die yearly due to the ravages of lice and mites. They sap the strength and vitality of the delicate chicks and leave them easy prey to dangerous disease germs.

**Wolf's Rapid Louse Killer** quickly destroys lice on the chicks and mother hen, keeps the nest, litter and dust bath free from insect pests. Also destroys certain bugs and worms on cucumber, squash, melon vines and rose bushes.

**Come In Today** and get a large sifter top can for 25c and try it on our MONEY BACK GUARANTEE TO SATISFY

FOR SALE BY
GAUGH & WOODWORTH, Druggists.
South Side of Square, Maryville, Mo.

# We Will Move October 1st

From our present location, 414 North Main street, to the Townsend building, corner Fifth and Main, across the street from the postoffice.

## Maryville Tire and Rubber Co.

TIRES AND TIRE REPAIRING
Hanamo 34, Farmers 248


### MAY INDICT 150 SLACKERS.

**Federal Grand Jury At St. Louis In the Draft Probe.**

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 24.—Indictments against more than 150 draft slackers are expected to be returned by the Federal Grand Jury when it re-convenes here tomorrow, according to those in touch with the situation today. The indictments will be against men of draft age who refused to register or who failed to appear for examination. There also will be several indictments because of treasonable utterances. Failure to register or failure to appear for examination are punishable by not less than one year's imprisonment and service in the army afterward.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Hotchkin and children, Ralph and Mildred and Miss Juno Jones motored to St. Joseph yesterday and spent the day.

Protect your cattle against blackleg with Blacklegoids. Koch's Pharmacy.

Miss Leota Yarnell of Ravenwood underwent an operation Saturday at the St. Francis hospital.

### FARM EXPERT AIDED COUNTY.

**High Priced Farm Adviser Gets Results In Chariton.**

Keytesville, Mo., Sept. 24.—Chariton county will hold the greatest corn show in years here, November 1, 2 and 3. Several months ago 150 patriotic citizens hired the highest priced farm adviser in the United States, Sam M. Jordan, his salary of $5,600 per year being paid by them, not a cent of it coming from the county, state or nation. As a result the crops here are the best in years. One thousand dollars in gold will be given winners of prizes at the show.

Mrs. John Diss is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Will Diss, east of Maryville.

D. E. Hotchkin went to Kansas City on business today.


CATARRH
For head or throat Catarrh try the vapor treatment
Keep a Little Body-Guard in Your Home
VICK'S VAPORUB



# Closing Out Sale

On account of being drafted for the National army, I will sell at the M. P. Gingrich farm, 5½ miles northwest of Maryville, 2½ miles southeast of Wilcox, on

## Monday, Oct. 1

Commencing at 10 o'clock, the following described property:

7 HEAD OF HORSES—4-year-old gelding, weight 1,400; 4-year-old mule, weight, 1,250; yearling mule; suckling mule; smooth mouth mare, in foal to Willhoyte's jack; 3-year-old mare, weight, 1,500, in foal to Willhoyte's jack; black horse, 10 years old.

33 HEAD OF CATTLE—2 good milk cows; 24 head of yearling heifers; yearling bull; yearling steer; 5 calves.

33 HEAD OF HOGS—3 sows with pigs by side; 30 shoats.

90 ACRES OF CORN—1,100 bu. oats; 2 stacks timothy hay in field; 18 tons baled straw; 6 tons straw in stack; 22 acres of pasture.

IMPLEMENTS—Mammoth gang plow; sulky plow and riding cultivator; Milwaukee binder; John Deere cultivator; walking cultivator; 2-row cultivator; hay rake; 3-section harrow; oat seeder; bull rake; low wheel wagon; high wheel wagon; hay rack; hog waterer; 100 good hedge posts; 8 or 9 corner posts; John Deere Corn Planter; set furrow openers; 2 single buggies; 3 sets work harness, practically new; set double driving harness; 2 sets single driving harness; 2 saddles; 25 bu. potatoes; some household goods.

TERMS—$10.00 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3 or 6 months on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

R. P. HOSMER, Auct.
JOSEPH JACKSON, JR., Clerk.

**M. P. Gingrich & Sons**



# Closing Out Sale

As I am a member of the next quota of the New National Army I will sell at the home place, 5 miles east of Skidmore, 10 miles southwest of Maryville, or 2 miles south of the Gill School House on

## Wednesday, Sept. 26

Commencing at 10 o'clock, the following described property:

16 HEAD OF HORSES AND MARES—Gray horse, 10 years old, weight, 1500; gray horse, 5 years old, weight, 1,400; brown mare, 10 years old, weight, 1400; bay mare, 8 years old, weight, 1,200; gray mare, 4 years old, weight, 1400; sorrel mare, 4 years old, weight, 1,300; black horse, 4 years old, weight, 1500; gray horse, 2 years old, weight, 1,200; bay horse, 2 years old; 2 smooth mouth ponies; 2 yearling colts and 3weanling colts.

65 ACRES OF CORN IN FIELD; 15 TO 20 TONS BALED HAY.

IMPLEMENTS—2 wagons; corn binder; lister and drill; go-devil; harrow; 2 cultivators; disc; hay rake; 2 sweeprakes; seeder; 2 buggies; feed cutter and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS—$10.00 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 6 months on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

LUNCH BY LADIES OF ROCKFORD CHURCH.

P. HOSMER, Auct.
SEPH JACKSON, JR., Clerk.

**W. W. Reaksecker**


## *Society and Clubland*

By MISS LUTA MOODY.
Hanamo, 42. Farmers, 114

**War Relief Calendar.**

MONDAY—Mary Pickford is shown tonight in "The Little American," at the Empire Theatre, the benefits to go to the Surgical Dressings unit.

TUESDAY—The hospital surgical dressings unit will meet this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Vilas Martin. As this is the last meeting of the unit as a member of the national surgical dressings organization, the members are asked to turn in all unfinished work.

The W. R. C. unit will meet at the Carnegie Library with Miss Dorothy Pierce, instructor.

WEDNESDAY — The Shakespeare unit will meet at the Carnegie Library with Miss Betty Turner as instructor.

The I. X. L. War Relief club meets this afternoon with Mrs. J. T. Linville.

THURSDAY — The Presbyterian Surgical Dressings unit will meet Thursday afternoon at the Carnegie Library with Mrs. W. J. Osburn instructor.

The Evening unit, with Miss Ora Barmann instructor, will meet at the Carnegie Library.

The Lasher Surgical Dressings unit will meet with Mrs. Lloyd Martin, with Mrs. Will Montgomery as instructor.

The F. F. O. G. unit of Parnell will meet with Miss Betty Turner as instructor.

The Country Club unit will meet Thursday with Mrs. T. M. Trullinger, with Mrs. Norman Chamberlain instructor.

FRIDAY—The D. A. R. unit will meet Friday afternoon at the Carnegie Library with Mrs. Ed Gray instructor.

The Rural Improvement unit will meet Friday afternoon at the Harmony church with Mrs. W. J. Osburn and Miss Ruth Montgomery instructors.

**Calendar.**

TUESDAY—The Shakespeare Department of the Twentieth Century club will meet with Mrs. Walter Hanson Tuesday, September 25.

The M. I. Circle will meet with Mrs. J. W. Ray, September 25.

WEDNESDAY — The Wednesday Bridge club will meet with Miss Kitty Grems at her home on East First street.

The Wednesday Morning Prayer circle will meet with Mrs. G. Maier on North Buchanan street.

THURSDAY—The W. C. T. U. will meet at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the League rooms of the First Methodist church.

The executive board of the Twentieth Century club will meet Thursday, September 27, at 3 o'clock at the Elks Club.

FRIDAY—The Home Missionary society of the First Methodist church will meet at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon with Miss Ethel Embree.

**Mrs. Buck, Hostess.**

Mrs. Clara Buck entertained Miss Anna Ross and her mother, Mrs. Len Ross, of Bedford, Ia., at her home Friday.

**Entertain at Sunday Dinner.**

Mr. and Mrs. Will Trullinger entertained at dinner yesterday Mr. and Mrs. Joel Trullinger and daughter, Mildred, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Trullinger and sons, Glen and Harry.

**Sunday Dinner Guests.**

Mrs. Cora Trullinger and daughter, Miss Helen, and Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Childress were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cabell Childress of near Ravenwood.

**Cornells Entertain.**

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cornell entertained at 12 o'clock dinner yesterday in honor of Arlo and Roy Gingrich, who have been drafted for service in the United States army. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Gingrich and sons, Arlo and Roy, and daughter, Ada and the host and hostess.

**Entertained at Dinner.**

Mr. and Mrs. George Knobbs and daughter, Miss Vannie entertained at 12 o'clock dinner yesterday at their country home east of Maryville. Their guests were: Mrs. John Kirch and daughters, Miss Agatha of Maryville, and Mrs. J. G. Cogswell and Miss Gertrude Kirch of Riverton, Wyo., who are visiting in Maryville.

**Dinner Party at Conception.**

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Swinford and son, W. H. Swinford, and daughter, Miss Irene, Mrs. A. C. Vickery and son, Hubert, drove to Conception yesterday and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Purcell. Additional guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Ben Chellew and son, Homer, and daughter, Aubern of Conception.

**Willhoytes Entertain.**

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Willhoyte entertained at 12 o'clock dinner yesterday at their home northwest of Maryville. Covers were laid for: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Willhoyte and little son, Mrs. M. J. Willhoyte, J. B. Taylor and daughter, Kittie and son, Ray, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Knabb, Leora Willhoyte, Frank Piece and the host and hostess.

**Letts Entertain.**

Mr. and Mrs. James Lett, living east of Pickering, entertained at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. T. Hannah and son, George; Mr. and Mrs. Dan Skidmore and daughter, Velma; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Skidmore and John William Groves of Healy, Kan. The crowd motored up in the Hannah and Skidmore cars from Guilford. In the evening watermelon and cake were served.

**P. E. O. Meeting.**

The members of the P. E. O. chapter held their opening meeting Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fred Kurtz. About twenty members attended. Only a business session was held, and in the evening the husbands and a few guests of the members gathered at the Kurtz home and a picnic supper served cafeteria style was enjoyed. Following supper the evening was spent playing somerset. Mrs. John Tompson of Salt Lake City and Frank Crow won high score. The guests attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Will Symonds, Mrs. John Tompson of Salt Lake City, Miss Hattie Pierce, Mrs. W. H. Hudson, Roy Curfman and Mr. and Mrs. C. Edwin Wells.

**G. B. Holmes Celebrated Birthday.**

G. B. Holmes celebrated his sixty-fifth birthday anniversary yesterday at his home on Grand Avenue. In the afternoon a number of his old friends and relatives came in to pay him a visit. During the afternoon the guests were invited to the dining room where dainty refreshments were served. In the center of the table was a beautiful birthday cake dated 1852 and 1917. Mr. Holmes was presented with a handsome chair, the gift of his friends. The guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. Dan Holmes and daughter, Mary Electa, of St. Joseph; Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burris, Mrs. Joie Thomas of La Harpe, Kan., Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Montgomery, Dr. and Mrs. H. S. Rowlett, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Shinabargar, Mrs. Sarah Saterlee, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hall, Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. M. Rittenour, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Toel, Eugene Ogden, N. Sisson and Prof. and Mrs. S. E. Davis.


# SYMPTOMS OF HER DISEASE

**Backache, Sideache, Nervousness, Dizziness, Faintness, all Disappeared After the Woman's Medicine was Taken.**

Kingfisher, Okla.—"For two years I suffered with a severe female trouble, was nervous, and had backache and a pain in my side most of the time. I had dizzy spells and was often so faint I could not walk across the floor. The doctor said I would have to have an operation. A friend asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. After taking ten bottles I am now well and strong, have no more pain, backache or dizzy spells. Everyone tells me how well I look and I tell them Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did it."—Miss NINA SOUTHWICK, R. F. D. No. 4, Box 33, Kingfisher, Okla.

Every woman who suffers from female troubles, nervousness, backache or the blues should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as Mrs. Southwick did, or if they need free advice in regard to any annoying symptom write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass.



# The Labette Oil Company

315-16 Bonfils Building
KANSAS CITY, MO.

MARYVILLE HEADQUARTERS, 208 North Main Street
Opposite Linville Hotel and Display Window

Incorporated under the laws of Kansas. Capital Stock $100 000 Par value $1.00 per share. This issue of stock authorized by the Missouri Bank Commissioner.

## 90 Day Guarantee

Our stock is sold on a positive guarantee.

Stock is sold on terms of one-fourth cash; no more money to be paid until the Company has brought in a paying Oil or Gas well; the balance to be paid in six equal monthly installments.

We put ourselves entirely on the other side of the fence because we know what our leases are.

IF WE DO NOT BRING IN A PAYING OIL OR GAS WELL WITHIN 90 DAYS, the initial payment of 25 per cent will be refunded. Think it over. Even a person inclined to be skeptical will admit our proposition is clean through and through.

**INVESTIGATION.**

Anyone desiring to visit our leases can make arrangements to meet our field man and they will be shown over our holdings from end to end. We invite thorough investigation.

We want our holdings and officers investigated, because we expect to sell our second block of stock right in this immediate territory.

**A LIMITED AMOUNT OF STOCK.**

It is the purpose of the company to only dispose of 15,000 SHARES, AT $1.00 PER SHARE. This gives us sufficient funds to bring in and complete at least eight wells, with oil or gas production it can readily be seen that the remaining 35,000 shares can be disposed of at a much higher figure.

By handling the sale of our stock in this manner we can realize enough capital to drill from 40 to 75 wells in our shallow field leases

The average cost of drilling a well in our shallow field leases is $1,500 as compared to $15,000 in some fields.

**ATTENTION.**

Ask to see a list of our stockholders. We placed over 110 contracts in Harrison and Grundy counties in a short time, including seven of the leading bankers.

Drop in and obtain our literature, look over our maps. Come in and get acquainted.

Try and make arrangements to take a trip to our holdings — You will never regret it.

**DRILLING.**

We are drilling No. 1 well on our Labette lease and expect production within a few days.

This will raise the price and value of stock immediately.

We are even willing to give a guarantee that if our stock is not worth more money within a reasonable length of time payments will be refunded.

## Don't Forget Labette


**Saunders-Belknap Wedding.**

Miss Elizabeth Saunders and Archie Roland Belknap of Kansas City were married at 8:30 o'clock yesterday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rankin Lyle, with whom Miss Saunders has been making her home for several years. The Rev. S. A. Colle performed the ceremony and the ring service was used.

The bride was dressed in a traveling dress of dark blue material and wore a small dark velvet hat. She carried an arm bouquet of pink and white roses tied with white tulle.

Immediately following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served to the bridal party and a few friends. Mr. and Mrs. Belknap left on the 10:52 train for Kansas City, where they will make their home.

Mrs. Belknap is well known in Maryville, having made her home with Mr. and Mrs. Lyle for a number of years. She spent three years in a hospital and training school in Oklahoma City.

Besides the members of the Lyle family, the guests present were: Dr. and Mrs. S. A. Colle and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lewis and daughter, Miss Mary.

**Dinner At Holtmans.**

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Holtman entertained at dinner yesterday at their home near Ravenwood. Their guests included: Mr. and Mrs. John Gallagher and three sons, Francis, Ralph and John Robert, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tucker and children, Myrtle, Everett and Edna, Joe Holtman and Will Holtman, Beatrice Bryant, Joe Kemper of Kansas City and Mrs. Nan McElwain of Ravenwood.

**Missionary Meeting.**

The Missionary society of the First Methodist church will meet at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. V. Embree. The members are requested to meet at the church at 2:15 o'clock, where cars will be waiting to convey them to the Embree home.

**Mrs. Hoagland, Hostess.**

Mrs. H. M. Hoagland and daugher, Miss Beulah of Skidmore, were hostesses at a dinner given yesterday at their home. Their guests were: Mrs. C. A. McAllister, Mr. and Mrs. Dale McGinness, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McGinness and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. McGinness and family and Roy Armstrong of Calumet, Okla.

### TO DO RED CROSS WORK

**Homemakers Ask to Be Allowed to Form Auxiliary to Maryville Chapter.**

The Homemakers class of the South Methodist church met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. French Carter, with Mrs. Carter, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Della Miller, as hostesses. A large membership and a number of guests were present. Mrs. Marvin Peery, chairman of the class presided at the meeting. The general routine of business was taken up and a committee was appointed to serve on the menu for the Rally Day dinner. At a previous meeting the members voted to take up some kind of war relief work, and at Friday's meetin, Mrs. W. J. Osburn and Miss Bertha Beal presented to them the Red Cross work, which was decided upon. Thirty-seven members signed a petition asking to be allowed to form an auxiliary of the Red Cross Chapter of Maryville. This petition was presented to Fred P. Robinson, secretary of the chapter, Saturday.

Following the business session, a dainty two-course luncheon was served by the hostesses.

**Americans Now At Front.**

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

American Headquarters in France, Sept. 24.—One section of the American army is now at the front and although not on the firing line two men have been wounded.

**$6,000 For Poland-China Boar.**

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Mexico, Mo., Sept. 24.—$6,000 was paid here today for a Poland-China boar, the highest price ever paid for an animal of this breed.


## All Choked Up With Catarrh? Why Continue Makeshift Treatment?

**Sprays and douches will never cure you.**

Catarrh is annoying enough when it chokes up your nostrils and air passages, causing painful and difficult breathing and other discomforts. But the real danger comes when it reaches down into your lungs.

This is why you should at once realize the importance of the proper treatment, and lose no time experimenting with worthless remedies which touch only the surface. To be rid of Catarrh, you must drive the disease germs out of your blood.

Splendid results have been reported from the use of S. S. S., which completely routs from your blood the Catarrh germs, for which it is a perfect antidote.

S. S. S. is sold by all druggists. If you wish medical advice as to the treatment of your own individual case, write to-day to Chief Medical Adviser, Swift Specific Co., Dept. B Atlanta, Ga.



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Lay the foundation of your fortune by opening a savings account today. Deposits of one dollar and upwards received in our savings department.

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You have to lead a hermit life to get away from the almost daily need of Democrat-Forum Classified Advertising. For it's come to mean real service—to stand for short cuts in so many phases of daily life. Democrat-Forum Classified Ads do more odd jobs than all the odd job men in the city—greater errands than messenger boys—and make sales that cannot be made economically in any other way.

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Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by 12 o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for cash with order. An extra charge of five cents will be made on all want ads when cash does not accompany the order.

### FOR SALE

FOR SALE OR RENT — 6 room house, modern except heat. J. D. Dickerson or Hartness & Sons.

FOR SALE—Seed wheat and rye. Call A. B. Dowden, Farmers phone 1-13 21-24

FOR SALE—Extra good red turkey wheat, $2.00 bu. M. R. McClurg, phone 931, Pickering. 21-24*

FOR SALE—75 bu. big white rye for seed, $1.75 per bu. W. R. Logan, Farmers phone 21-12. 21-24*

FOR SALE—Flock of blooded white Plymouth Rock pullets, April hatched. Mrs. John Porter, 822 South Buchanan. 21-24*

HOUSE FOR SALE OR RENT — 6 large rooms; empty Sept. 1. Choice building lots for sale. See J. T. Hays, Hanamo 575. 2tf

FOR SALE — 2 modern residence properties. Small cash payments and the balance on monthly payments of $20.00 on one property and $30.00 per month on the other. Both well located. S. H. KEMP. 6-tf

FOR SALE—Bargain if taken this week: Cook stove, heating stove, bed springs and mattress. 110 South Main. 24-26

FOR SALE—Good turkey red seed wheat $2.00 per bu. H. H. McClurg, Pickering, Mo. 22-28

FOR SALE—One lot, 7-room house, barn, city water, close in. Inquire of Mrs. G. M. Campbell, 216 East 6th. 15-28

FOR SALE OR RENT — 7 room house, 216 S. Market. See Dr. K. R. Malotte. 18tf

FOR SALE—McCormick corn binder, in good condition. Gordon A. Fite, Farmers phone 50-17. 17-1*

FOR SALE—Used Upright piano, mahogany case, standard make, excellent condition. A bargain for someone. Landon Music Co. 20-26

FOR SALE OR TRADE—7-room house, large barn, cement cave, city water, about an acre of ground where you can raise those said chickens, keep cow, etc. Terms and price right. See John Hansen. 24-26*

GOOD FARM FOR SALE—I have a 120-acre, well improved farm for sale, in Macon county, Mo. This farm has a good two-story, eight-room dwelling, a splendid barn, four good wells and is well fenced. There are sixty acres in corn that will yield between 2,500 and 3,000 bu. this year, other sixty acres in grass. This farm is four miles from two good railroad towns, twelve miles from the county seat, one mile from school and has two mail deliveries daily. Will take $9,000, half cash and balance to suit purchaser. This farm is in a good country, no hills nor rocks, and is the best bargain I know of for a home. I have reasons for selling, or I would not take less than $100 an acre. Will show it to any prospective buyer. Write or call me. J. J. Heifner, P. O. Box 262, Maryville, Mo.

Macon is in Macon county, Mo., and is 136 miles due east of St. Joseph and 70 miles west of Quincy, Ill. A good county and a good farm. 24-26

### WANTED

WANTED—House, must be modern and close in. Call Hanamo phone 700. 22-25*

WANTED—Married man with small family to work on a farm. Frank T. Hall, Farmers phone 514. 24-26*

Rates $1.50 to $3.00
FIFTEENTH AND LOCUST STS.
New, Fireproof. Every room with private bath, circulating ice water, electric fan, telephone.
JAMES E. BUCHANAN, Pres. and Mgr.


WANTED—Girl. Inquire at Maryville Laundry. 24-26*

WANTED—Kitchen help, man preferred. Bainum Hotel. 24-26*

WANTED—Work in small family by middle aged woman. Inquire 504 North Buchanan street, Maryville, Mo. 24-26*

WANTED—25 tons of good baled straw. Maryville Feed and Milling Co., West Third street. Hanamo 110, Farmers 230. 21-24

WANTED—To rent room for car in garage or barn near corner of Edwards and Main streets. Hanamo phone 183. 22-25

WANTED——Salesman. Can you sell a guaranteed oil stock proposition? Good contract to a reliable man. Labette Oil Co., North Main St. 21-24

### LOST

LOST—Purse containing more than dollar in small change, and keys. Return to Democrat-Forum office. 21-24*

### MISCELLANEOUS

EXPERIENCED bookkeeper-stenographer wants set of books or stenographic work for evenings. Address C., Democrat-Forum. 24-26*

YOUR OLD CARPET and a little money makes a valuable new rug. Jos. W Cornell, Hanamo 5264. 24-26*

HAIRCUTS 25c, except Saturdays. Bath 15c, at Protzman's Shop, under Montgomery's Shoe Store. 22-25*

PLUMBING—We make a specialty of installing modern plumbing in old houses and remodeling old plumbing, estimates free. Standard Plumbing Co., Han. 46.

I WILL PAY highest prices for all kinds of junk, battles expressly for iron. Also all kinds of parts of old automobiles to sell. Maryville Iron and Metal Co. 22-28*

IF YOU'RE LOOKING for a home in Nodaway county, Mo., let me sell you my farm of 315 acres, also crops and stock. Give you the strings Jan. 1, 1918. Don't write but come and see me. R. T. Lamar, Elmo, Mo. 21-24

### FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Modern 6-room cottage close in. Vacant Oct. 1. Inquire Bee Hive Shoe Store. 22-25*

Miss Lulu Van Brunt left Saturday afternoon for St. Joseph where she has a position as a nurse at the Noyes hospital.

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# Jersey Cattle

Twenty head of thoroughbreds.

to be sold at

# Public Auction

*At Gray's Pavilion*
*Maryville, Mo.*

***Thursday, October 4***

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### Chairman of the Allies' Purchasing Commission

With the recent creation of the Allies' Purchasing Commission the buying of supplies on the American market for our allies across the seas has been simplified and placed on a business basis. The members of the commission, of which Bernard M. Baruch of New York city is chairman, are also members of the recently created war industries board of the Council of National Defense and will thereby be able thoroughly to co-ordinate the purchases of the United States government and those of the allied powers.

Chairman Baruch is still a young man, a native of South Carolina, where he was born forty-seven years ago.

Photo by American Press Association.

BERNARD M. BARUCH.

At the age of eleven his father's family removed to New York city, where they have since resided. After being graduated from the College of the City of New York Mr. Baruch began his business career in a humble position in Wall street. Soon his capacity for finance became evident, and he began to take a prominent part in the financial district. He became a member of the firm of A. A. Housman & Co. and at the age of thirty-two, when he retired from that firm, was reputed to be a millionaire. Since then he has been famous as a daring operator and has acquired a fortune "somewhere between $10,000,000 and twice that amount." When named as a member of the Council of National Defense Mr. Baruch sold his seat on the Stock Exchange and retired from active business.

### Smartly Said

Never look backward unless you are going that way.

It is better to speak well of your friends even if you have to lie.

The man with the drink habit is always ready to preach temperance that does not interfere with the sale of the stuff.

Loyalty, like charity, should always begin at home.

If we practiced what we preach few of us would have any time left for preaching.

Whenever you are annoyed by a grouchy man remember that it hurts him more than it does you.

If you expect to believe everything you hear, better not listen much of the time.

### Mother's Doll Story

#### The Night Ride

Once upon a time there was a gray dappled pony and a white bunny who were great friends.

They lived in a nice nursery that belonged to some twins, a little boy and a little girl.

The dappled pony belonged to the little boy, and the white bunny was his sister's. And you can't imagine what lots of fun the four had.

One day the little girl had a present of a big doll that had beautiful golden hair. All the rest of the toys in the nursery thought her too beautiful to play with.

"She's stuck up," said the choo-choo car.

"Her hair is too much like gold," answered the box of paints. "If I had my brush with me I would paint it red this minute!"

"She has real lace on her petticoat," said Dinah, the biggest black doll. And Dinah whisked her apron so some dust would fall on the real lace.

"Let's be kind to the stranger," said the dappled pony, going up to the new doll. "Would you like a ride in my cart?"

"Oh, sir," said the new doll, "I'm afraid I could not drive you!"

"I can drive him!" cried the white bunny. "I'm his friend."

So the white bunny helped the new doll into the dappled pony's cart, and off they went around and around the nursery for a nice drive.

**Shedding Letters.**

I'm a worker most active, most useful, most known,
Of all that are busy in country and town.
Take from me one letter and yet my good name
In spite of this loss will continue the same.
Take from me two letters and still you will see
That precisely the same in effect I shall be
Take from me three letters, or even take four,
Yet still I continue the same as before.
Answer.—The postman


# Chesterfield CIGARETTES

*of* IMPORTED *and* DOMESTIC *tobaccos—Blended*

*A new combination—mild, yet they "Satisfy"!*

Yes, this *new* cigarette is more than just good-tasting, it delivers a *new* and important thing to smokers—

Chesterfields "reach home," they *let you know you are smoking*—they *"Satisfy"!*

*Yet, they're Mild!*

Don't be surprised—the *new blend* of Imported and Domestic tobaccos does it. And the blend can't be copied.

Let Chesterfields give you new cigarette enjoyment.

Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co.

*They "Satisfy"!—and yet they're Mild!*

Wrapped in glassine paper—keeps them fresh.

**20 for 10¢**


### Real Estate Transfers.

Pearl S. Hiser to L. M. Cummins, SW, NW, 33, part E½, NE, 32, 66, 36, $2,000.

Ossian S. Jamison to Clara A. Makinson, SE, 5, 66, 36, $4,800.

G. M. Kemp to J. W. Rodman, lots 6 and 7, block 3, in Fifth Add. to Skidmore. $1,700.

Aca Akin to Gillam-Jackson Loan and Trust Co., N¾, SE, 9, 66, 37, $5,500.

Charles T. Dawson to same, SE, NE, and part SW, NE, 18, 66, 33, $2,700.

William A. Blackney to Stevenson F. L. Co., part SE, NW, 15, and part NE, SE, 16, and part lot 3, of N½, SW, 1, SW, NW, 15, 3, 37, $131.25.

Richard M. Black to Farmers Trust Co., part N½, NE, NW, 17, 64, 35, $1,150.

Knox Alexander to Conn. Mut. L. Ins. Co., N½, SE, 31, 67, 36, $2,500.

A boat with a detachable deck is designed to prevent loss of life at sea. The deck will float when the remainder of the hull goes down.

It takes six months to make a really good piano.

### Gave School A Pig.

Down in a Missouri county a farmer gave the school district a little pig just at weaning time. The pupils, under the direction of the teacher, built a pen and fed the dinner scraps to the pig each day and take turns in bringing an ear of corn of like amount of other feed. When the pig gets his growth he will beat a box supper all to pieces.

### Hereford Breeders at Tarkio.

At a recent meeting of the executive committee of the Tarkio Red Cross chapter, says the Tarkio Avalanche, it was decided to accept the offer of the Hereford Breeders who hold their annual sale there Oct. 8th and 9th, for the Tarkio Red Cross chapter to give the banquet to the visiting breeders and buyers on the evening of Oct. 8th. There will be 400 plates and the Red Cross will receive $500 for the banquet.


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### Knights Enjoyed Visit.

The St. Joseph contingent is loud in its praise of the hospitality of the Maryville Knights. In fact, all who made the trip enjoyed themselves immensely, says the St. Joseph Catholic Tribune, and were pleased with the railroad arrangements which brought them there on time and then home at a seasonable hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Carmichael of Wheaton, Wyo., visited yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Carmichael.


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### Colvins Have Guests.

Dr. D. C. Smith and Dr. F. G. Smith of Bethany, and Mrs. Ambrose Dunnegan and Mrs. E. M. Giles of Ridgeway, Mo., drove to Maryville yesterday to visit their sister, Mrs. James Colvin and family.

Africa is three times larger than Europe.


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In pots for winter blooming

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